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Dulles Says Nixon

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Allen W. Dulles, former director of the Central Intelligence Agency, says Richard Nixon was in error when he charged that President Kennedy had been briefed during the 1960 cantalgn on Cuban invasion preparations.

Dulles said, however, he be-lieved the charge—contained in Mixon's new book, "Six Crisis"—was the result of "an honest misunderstanding." misunderstanding."

Nixon contended President

Kennedy had been told the CIA

was helping to train Cuban

rebels for an invasion and had

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